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TO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY BRASILIA IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY CARACAS IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (CARTER, JIMMY)

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL TRIP: SCHEDULE

REF: NEW DELHI 14705

BRASILIA, CARACAS PASS PHIL WISE WITH WHITE HOUSE PRE  
ADVANCE PARTY

1. DUE TO SOME SEVERE SCHEDULING PROBLEMS IN RIYADH,  
IT SEEMS DESIRABLE FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL PARTY TO LEAVE  
RIYADH AT 11:00 PM ON NOVEMBER 26 AND TO ARRIVE IN NEW  
DELHI AT 6:00 AM ON NOVEMBER 27. WE RECOGNIZE THAT  
THIS MAY POSE SERIOUS PROTOCOLARY AND OTHER DIFFICULTIES.

2. WE WISH THE EMBASSY TO GIVE US ITS VIEWS ON WHETHER  
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SUCH AN EARLY ARRIVAL TIME IS ACCEPTABLE. IS IT POSSIBLE  
TO CONSIDER SCRUBBING THE ARRIVAL CEREMONY COMPLETELY AND  
HAVING ONLY THE CHIEF OF PROTOCOL MEET THE PRESIDENT AT  
ONE OF THOSE EARLY HOURS? THEN THE MEETING WITH THE  
INDIAN PRESIDENT COULD CONCEIVABLY TAKE PLACE IMMEDIATELY  
UPON PRESIDENT CARTER'S ARRIVAL AT THE RASTRAPATI BHAVAN  
OR, IF THAT IS STILL TOO EARLY FOR AN INITIAL CALL, SOME-

TIME LATER THAT DAY. (THE OPTION OF HAVING THE CALL  
LATER IN THE DAY IS CLEARLY LESS PREFERABLE.)

3. A POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVE TO ARRIVING AT 6:00 AM MIGHT  
CONCEIVABLY BE TO ARRIVE AT 7:00 AM. WE WOULD APPRECIATE  
EMBASSY'S VIEWS ON THIS ARRIVAL TIME AS WELL.

4. WE WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S REACTION ASAP. DO  
NOT REPEAT NOT CONSULT WITH THE INDIANS ON THESE ARRIVAL  
TIMES. AT THIS POINT WE ARE SEEKING ONLY THE EMBASSY'S  
VIEWS.  
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